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RECIPROCITY

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Class	Fee	No of Applications	Validity
A-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS
A-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS
A-3 [1]	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS
B-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	120 MONTHS
B-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	120 MONTHS
B-1/B-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	120 MONTHS
C-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS
C-1/D	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS
C-2	ONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS
C-3	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS
D	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS
E-1 [2]	NO TREATY	N/A	N/A
E-2 [2]	NO TREATY	N/A	N/A
F-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS
F-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS
G-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS
G-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS
G-3	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS
G-4	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS
G-5 [1]	NONE	MULTIPLE	12 MONTHS
H-1B	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS [3]
H-1C	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS [3]
H-2A	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS [3]
H-2B	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS [3]
H-3	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS [3]
H-4	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS [3]
	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS
J-1 [4]	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS
J-2 [4]	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS
K-1	NONE	ONE	6 MONTHS
K-2	NONE	ONE	6 MONTHS
K-3	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS
K-4	NONE	MULTIPLE	24 MONTHS
L-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS [3]
L-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS [3]
M-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS
M-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS
N-8	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS
N-9	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS
NATO 1-7	N/A	N/A	N/A
O-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS [3]

O-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS [3]
O-3	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS [3]
P-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS [3]
P-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS [3]
P-3	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS [3]
P-4	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS [3]
Q-1 [6]	NONE	MULTIPLE	15 MONTHS [3]
R-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS
R-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	60 MONTHS
S-5 [7]	NONE	ONE	1 MONTH
S-6 [7]	NONE	ONE	1 MONTH
S-7 [7]	NONE	ONE	1 MONTH
T-1 [9]	N/A	N/A	N/A
T-2	NONE	ONE	6 MONTHS
T-3	NONE	ONE	6 MONTHS
T-4	NONE	ONE	6 MONTHS
TD [5]	N/A	N/A	N/A
V-1	NONE	MULTIPLE	120 MONTHS
V-2	NONE	MULTIPLE	120 MONTHS [8]
V-3	NONE	MULTIPLE	120 MONTHS [8]

SPECIAL CLEARANCE AND ISSUANCE PROCEDURES

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Only file check made by Embassy.

DOCUMENTS AND RECORDS

Police Record

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Available. A certificate of conduct may be obtained from the Commissioner of Police, Police Headquarters, Floriana. The following data must be submitted: applicant's full name; father's and mother's full names, including the mother's maiden name; in case the applicant is a married woman, her husband's name; place of birth; former residence address in Malta; and applicant's age. However, the police record is often of limited value because convictions can be expunged after ten years and crimes resulting in lesser terms of imprisonment are cleared from the record after a correspondingly shorter time period. A fee may be charged for this service.

Prison Record

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Unavailable. Applicants may attempt to obtain record by writing to the Director of Prisons, The Prisons, Paola.

Court Record

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Available. Applicants should write to the Registrar, Courts of Law, Republic St., Valletta. A fee may be charged for this service.

Military Record

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Available. Former members of the Armed Forces of Malta are issued a certificate of service, which includes a testimonial signed by the Commanding Officer.

Birth Certificate

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Available. Certificates for persons born in Malta are obtainable from the Director of the Public Registry, Merchants Street, Valletta. Certificates for persons born in Gozo may be obtained from the Acting Director of the Public Registry, Victoria, Gozo. The GOM started issuing computerized birth and death certificates in January 1994. The certificates are printed in English and Maltese on a better quality and slightly larger paper, and are headed "Public Registry". They contain the name, sex, and date and place of birth of applicant; name and surname and place and date of birth of the parents, including the mother's maiden name.

Marriage Certificate

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Available. Marriage certificates are issued by the same authorities that issue birth certificates, have the same format and heading, and contain the name and surname of husband and wife, their occupation, age and place of birth, and place and date of marriage. Computerized marriage certificates will start being issued later this year. There has been no change in the cost of computerized certificates.

Death Certificate

(TL:VISA-214; 10-19-2000)

Available. Death certificates are issued by the same authorities who issue birth certificate, have the same format and heading, and contain the name and surname of the deceased, place and date of death, marital status, place of birth, occupation and age, as well as name and surname of parents.

NOTE: There may be a fee for each document issued by the Public Registry. Documents issued by ecclesiastical authorities are not to be considered to be those issued by a government authority. There being no divorce law in Malta, divorce certificates are not available.

VISA ISSUING POST

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Valletta (E) All Categories

GEOGRAPHIC AREA SERVICED

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All of Malta.